

If the FCC lifts the dominant classification from the Local Exchange Carriers (Bells), it will limit competition to a duopoly consisting of a bell and a cable company. Competition in the American Telecom marketplace will not be incentivized, it will be torpedoed. ISPs and CLECs will die, consumers will be deprived of choice and the FCC will be wholly to blame for the travesty. DO NOT DO IT.

I have heard rumblings about the loss of independent ISPs for a long time. The freedom to choose our service is essential. Many ISPs are not as "regulated" as they should be; ie: pornography, etc, but being able to choose allows us to also "un-choose" the bad ones! I suggest using the regulations we already have, through enforcement, instead of putting all of the little guys out of business.